

In re Appln. of Hiroaki TAMURA
Application No. 10/043,208

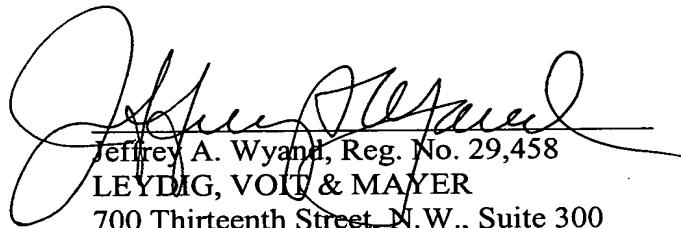
REMARKS

In response to the Office Action mailed February 4, 2005, Applicant proposes to amend his application and requests reconsideration in view of the proposed amendment and following remarks. Upon entry of this Amendment, claims 1, 3-5, 7, 8, and 10-14 will be pending.

Claims 4, 5, 7, 8, and 10-14 are allowed.

In the Office Action, claim 6 was objected to but not rejected. In this Amendment claims 1 and 6 are proposed to be combined as amended claim 1, placing amended claim 1 and its dependent claim 3 in form for allowance. Accordingly, this Amendment should be entered and a Notice of Allowance should be promptly issued.

Respectfully submitted,



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